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Case 8284

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of

**MICHAEL DOUGLAS HILL ET AL.**

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: Group Art Unit: 1756

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PROCESS FOR MAKING SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

In the Specification

✓ Page 1, line 24, delete "adjacent".

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